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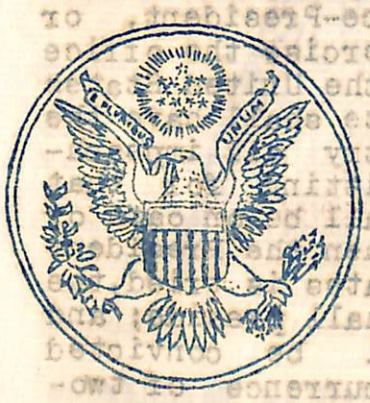

THE GREAT SEAL
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PREAMBLE

WE, the people of the United States, in order to form a more perfect Union, establish justice, insure domestic tranquillity, provide for the common defense, promote the general welfare, and secure the blessings of liberty to ourselves and our posterity, do ordain and establish this Constitution for the United States of America.

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ARTICLE I

Section 1--(Legislative powers: in whom vested.)

All legislative powers herein granted shall be vested in a Congress of the United States, which shall consist of a Senate and House of Representatives.

Section 2--(House of Representatives, how and by whom chosen. Qualifications of a Representative. Representatives and direct taxes, how apportioned. Enumeration. Vacancies to be filled. Power of choosing officers and of impeachment.)

1.--The House of Representatives shall be composed of members chosen every second year by the people of the several States, and the electors in each State shall have the qualifications requisite for electors of the most numerous branch of the State Legislature.

2.--No person shall be a Representative who shall not have attained to the age of twenty-five years and been seven years a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that State in which he shall be chosen.

3.--Representatives and direct taxes shall be apportioned among the several States which may be included within this Union according to their respective numbers, which shall be determined by adding to the whole number of free persons, including those bound to service for a term of years, and excluding Indians not taxed, three fifths of all other persons. The actual enumeration shall be made within three years after the first meeting of the Congress of the United States, and within every subsequent term of ten years, in such manner as they shall by law direct. The number of Representatives shall not exceed one for every 30 thousand, but each State shall have at least one Representative; and until such enumeration shall be

made, the State of New Hampshire shall be entitled to choose 3; Massachusetts,8; Rhode Island and Providence Plantations,1; Connecticut,5; New York, 6; New Jersey, 4; Pennsylvania, 8; Delaware, 1; Maryland, 6; Virginia, 10; North Carolina, 5; South Carolina, 5; and Georgia, 3.

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3.--No person shall be a Senator who shall not have attained to the age of thirty years, and been nine years a citizen of the United States, and who shall not, when elected, be an inhabitant of that State for which he shall be chosen.

4.--The Vice-President of the United States shall be President of the Senate, but shall have no vote unless they be equally divided.

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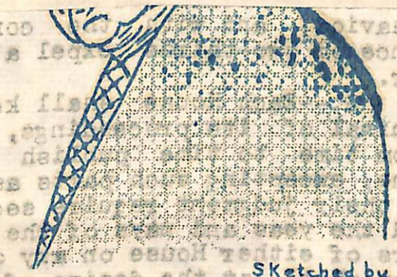

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Young Sargent could read music before he ever attended school and, at eight years of age, he played the organ in the old Congregational Church at Albany, Vermont!

Later, while living at Keene, N. H., he published a little amateur tabloid "paper"!

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He enjoys interspersing his remarks with droll witticisms. One day recently, I attended one of his concerts on Boston Common. After a month without rain, the skies had clouded up ominously. Just as he was approaching the bandstand with his wife, there was a peal of thunder! "That's the most 'thunderous' reception I've ever had!" he remarked. During that concert, Bandmaster Sargent received such overwhelming applause after one of his selections th at, for once, he seemed taken aback! Quickly recovering, however, he thanked the audience, and then added: "For an encore--I will now play you the next selection!" Then, sotto voce, "You see how 'foxy' I am!" To this he added, half-apologetically, "But really, after all, the time is limited!"

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CONSTITUTION

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PATRIOTIC ESSAY CONTEST

Under The Auspices Of The Organizer's Staff, Massachusetts Department, Sons Of Union Veterans Of The Civil War, P. O. Box 133, Roxbury Station, Boston, Massachusetts.

SUBJECT: "THE UNION SOLDIER IN THE CIVIL WAR"

Name.....

Address.....

Age.....Sex.....School.....Grade.....

I am not a lineal descendant of a Union Soldier of the Civil War, 1861-1865.

I hereby certify that the accompanying essay is my own original composition.

Signed.....

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CONTEST RULES

1. This contest is presented by Department Organizer Cecil L. Cheney, Massachusetts Department, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War and is open to all young people between the ages of 12 years and 18 years, residing in Mass.

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10. Awards will be made during the Annual Encampment of the Massachusetts Department, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, to be held in Boston in April, 1940.

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G. A. R. MONUMENT DEDICATED APRIL 12, 1939, MIAMI, FLORIDA

The outstanding event of the

56th Encampment was the dedication of the G. A. R. Monument. Busses were provided by the Dunn Bus Company as a courtesy to Henry Clay Roome Corps and Committee Chairman Louise Andrew, to transport the entire convention from Hotel Everglades to the Woodlawn Cemetery. The Miami University Band in trim green uniforms played patriotic airs while the crowd assembled. Representatives of the United Spanish War Veterans, Army and Navy Union and American Legion were present to assist the G. A. R. and Allied Orders. Comrades Sol Zarbaugh, W.C. Russell, Jacob Meyers, Henry Warden and John C. Winter were the aged Veterans provided with chairs. Two great American Flags were presented for permanent use at the Monument, by Victor Strandell, brother of our own Alma Hanson, in the name of Harvey Seeds Post of the American Legion. These Flags were posted by Joseph Gilbert and Frank X. Kull, Color Sergeants of the U. S. W. V.

The setting for this occasion was very beautiful. Just inside and to the left of the main entrance to the Cemetery, one gazed upon a never-to-be-forgotten scene The grassy plot 50x50 feet is enclosed by a two foot concrete coping. In the center stood the sheet-clad monument 18 feet high. Adding much to the patriotic significance of the occasion stood 10 Color Bearers of the Henry Clay Roome Corps and Cornelia Boyd Tent of the D.U.V., Laura Renfroe, Jennie Hoyt, Hannah Adams, Margaret Kane, Louise Andrew, Ella Mae Gill Susan Fenton, Anna K. Miller, Ida Mae Gorbett and Lucia Lawrence with their Presidents Hazel Sunderland and her Mascot Dorothy Mae Sunderland and Pricilla Wallace. Each group was accompanied by their Department Presidents, Grace Houlette Hahn, Susie Thompson and Laura Martin-Smith & their staffs. These women with their long white dresses and Flags floating in the Florida breeze made an inspiring picture. Grouped immediately around the monument were members of the G.A.R. and Allied Orders with a large concourse of friends.

When all was in readiness, Grace Houlette Hahn, National Chaplain & Department President of Florida Woman's Relief Corps, acted as Master of Ceremonies and announced each speaker. The unveiling Ritual was spoken by Jennie Vene Smith, Past Department President of the D. U. V. of Florida and for many years Secretary of G.A.R. Post No. 42 and Mary Ruth Hayes who is Mascot of G. A. R. Post No. 42 and granddaughter of two G. A. R. Veterans. Mrs. Smith read an original dedicatory poem after which Miss Hayes pulled the cord that released the veil and revealed the life-sized and life-like statue of Department Commander Capt. Charles J. Rose in the uniform of 1861, but bearing a Flag instead of a gun, standing atop the 10 foot shaft of native stone. A great cheer arose as the assembly viewed the statue of a living Commander and monument in memory of the Grand Army of the Republic. Jean Buchanan of the A. H. Terry Corps in Tampa with arm upraised lead the great throng in singing "The Star Spangled Banner" while the cameras of the local newspapers clicked.

Proceeding with the service, Capt. Rose conducted the ritualistic dedication ceremony during which Mr. Gaines R. Wilson, President of the Woodlawn Park Cemetery Association presented the deed to the plot to Capt. Rose to be recorded in the name of Henry Clay Roome Post #42 during their life time and then to revert to Henry Clay Roome Woman's Relief Corps & Cornelia Boyd Turney Tent, Daughters of Union Veterans.

Those who read the ritual with Capt. Rose were: Blanche M. Leese, G.A.R. Department Secretary; Chaplain John Benedict of the U.S.W.V. and Sons of Veterans Alvan Hunter, Frank Davis, C.V. Jackman and C.E. Higgins while John Soar laid the Memorial wreath. Samuel S. McCahill, Past Commander of the American Legion gave the splendid dedication oration. Each of the following spoke and paid homage to

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Associate Publisher

Thanksgiving

An Editorial

AS THANKSGIVING DAY approaches, we as Brothers and Sisters of Patriotic and Veteran organizations give grateful thanks to Our Father in Heaven, for the multitude of blessings He has showered upon us.

WE GIVE THANKS for that Love of Country that has animated us to more patriotic activity for the good of our Orders and our fellow-countrymen.

WE GIVE THANKS for the many new members who have joined us in the cause of Good Citizenship.

WE GIVE THANKS for the many great and good leaders who are so capably guiding our destinies.

WE GIVE THANKS for our Fraternity and spirit of cooperation, without which no groups may function successfully.

WE GIVE THANKS that the noble principles of our various Orders are becoming more and more the practicing ideals of our memberships.

WE GIVE THANKS that we have been enabled to hold fast to the Democratic precepts of our forefathers and have also developed them so well to meet our present-day need.

WE GIVE THANKS to our Divine Father from having preserved us from the horrors and terrors of War, enabling our Sons and Daughters to lift their heads in Thy praise without threat of persecution.

--E.G.W.

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MORE APPRECIATION

Our July issue brought the following letter from California:

Dear Editor:-

Was very much pleased with the copy of the Patriotic Register which I received yesterday. It is certainly a live wire and should be of great help to your camp and also to your department.

I am much interested in things around Massachusetts, for I was born in Carver and spent the first 16 years of my life in that little town, where I have a brother and sister still living. I think one of the real weaknesses regarding our organization is the fact that we do not keep more in close touch with what is going around near us and also in our organization at large.

Being a newspaper man who has just retired from active newspaper work after 53 years participation, I am strongly in favor of advertising, but somehow we do not take advantage of opportunities which present themselves which could be made beneficial and assist materially in the upbuilding of our order.

The Patriotic Register should be of much help to the Department of Massachusetts and especially to your own camp and others near you and I trust that the brothers will appreciate the opportunity given them to keep in closer touch with what is going on.

Congratulating you upon the very live paper you are getting out and trusting that it will assist materially in giving the members not only of our own organization but also of the allied organizations a greater degree of activity, I am

Sincerely yours in F. C. L.,
Pelham A. Barrows,
Past Commander-in-Chief.

After receiving the September issue, the following was sent:

Dear Editor:-

I am enclosing you a subscription to the Register as I like it so much feel that I ought to have it right along and if it is worth reading it surely is worth the "price of admission".

Sincerely yours in F.C.L.,
Pelham A. Barrows,
Past Commander-in-Chief.

From one near and dear to us, in the Massachusetts Department, comes further encouragement. Our own "Doc" Homan (Past Commander-in-Chief), from his confinement in the Hospital, writes to tell us that the Register is a fine piece of work and that we are to be congratulated. "The only trouble is so few will realize the time and effort you put in to produce it." He believes, "We need new life, so keep up your good work."

Past Commander-in-Chief Frank C Huston of Indiana sends a letter not only to the "Register" but to the whole Department. He "greatly appreciates" our "little newsy periodical" and believes "You are obviously doing a splendid work with it, and I find myself in perfect accord with the oft repeated wish,--'more power to ye.'

"While I do not have the acquaintance of all mentioned in your paper, still I know enough of you, personally, so that it is almost like a letter from home, and we always enjoy those things, especially when the letters are just loaded with good news."

He closes with "every good wish to all the Massachusetts outfit" and we certainly wish him the same ---with all our hearts.

From our Massachusetts Past Commander-in-Chief, Frank L. Kirchgassner, admired so much for his work last year as Chairman of the National Americanization Committee comes this reaction to the July issue.

"You have my sincere commendation for your efforts in helping to build up our organization. May success crown your efforts."

His expression of our September issue was as prompt & unequivocal as the last.

"Congratulations on your fine work. Knowing much of the history of C. R. Lowell Camp #9, I can say that your membership in the Camp has been responsible for new patriotic endeavour."

That brilliant attorney and Past Commander-in-Chief of our Order, Bro. Richard F. Locke of Illinois, has, in his terms of approbation to us, a request to make of the brothers of our Camp. To quote:

Dear Editor:

I have read with much interest the copies of the Patriotic Register which have come to my attention. Your September issue contains several matters of general interest.

The Patriot for whom your Camp was named was the Colonel of the Second Massachusetts Cavalry and was mortally wounded at the Battle of Cedar Creek. My father served in Company M of the Regiment.

I would like to know if you number among your membership any descendants of soldiers who served in the Second Cavalry? If so, I will greatly appreciate their names and addresses.

My subscription to your magazine is enclosed.

With my best wishes for your success, I am,

Sincerely yours,
Richard F. Locke,
Past Commander-in-Chief.

Outstanding among our supporters is the well-known and well-respected Wm. Allan Dyer of New York.

Dear Editor:

I congratulate you on publishing that lively and interesting sheet, which you have so aptly named the "Patriotic Register".

I have enjoyed reading it, which I have done from cover to cover. It should be of great help to your Camp and those affiliated with you in getting this news sheet to our members -- and it should also be a good stimulus to the Massachusetts Department.

If we had more members willing to give a little time to the Sons as you are doing, we should have little troubles to worry us.

Best of luck to you,
cordially yours,
Wm. Allan Dyer,
Past Commander-in-Chief

Our last National Patriotic Instructor, Albert R. DeHaven of Maine, stopped right in the middle of his most busy period, just before the National Convention at Pittsburg, to "congratulate you & Charles Russell Lowell Camp No. 9 for the splendid 'get up' of the publication.

"Its pages are informative, newsy, neat, plenty of 'oomph', & underlying is a true propagation of the Principles and Objects of our Order. It is an outstandin credit to you and your camp. May it prosper and spread its good work.

Sincerely in F.C.&L.
Albert R. DeHaven
National Patriotic Instructer."

Past Commander, Charter Member, and Life Member of our own Camp 9, Bro. "Jimmie" DeCastro tells us also what he thinks of us.

"You are getting out a grand paper....Good luck and every success to the 'Register'!"

Timely encouragement, financial and verbal, came from our loyal & valuable brother Peter J. Leahy (still so widely known for his work as Chaplain of Charles Russell Lowell Post #7, Grand Army of the Republic).

"Returning from a vacation of several weeks, I found two copies of "The Patriotic Register" at my home and I assure you I was more than surprised -- as I did not know anything of that kind was under way. It is easy to understand why Camp 9 stands second to none in the Dept., when they have members who have the ambition and the abilty to carry on a work of that kind. It must be a lot of work and expense to you --- for I am satisfied that you did the most of the work."

FRAMINGHAM

CAMP 59 NEWS

by
EDWARD M. HOSMER, PRESS CORRESPONDENT

The Officers and Members of Gen. J. G. Foster Camp 59, S.U.V.C.W., would like to know the trouble with the South Metropolitan District Association. They seem to have folded up their tents and crossed the river. The last seen or heard from them was at the meeting of the Worcester County Association and the South Metropolitan Association at Framingham on Tuesday evening, Nov. 22, 1938. Brothers of the Association! Let us wake up and see what we can do this winter! If the dead camps will not come to life, let them stay dead and go on with the live camps -- adding new camps to take the places of those that have died

We have plenty of work to do for the camps and the Association.

Brother Frank C. Hinds has returned home from Union Avenue Hospital.

Sister Mrs. Frank Cox is in the Union Avenue Hospital and has been operated upon for kidney trouble. We all wish her a speedy recovery.

The Indoor Baseball Committee of Camp 59, S.U.V.C.W., will soon, with the other camps in the League, be ready to draw up the Winter Schedule. The camps in the League are #2 & #25 of Worcester #112 of Oxford, #107 of Upton, #127 of Westboro, #71 of Northboro, #5 of Hudson, and #59 of Framingham. The meeting-place and date will be announced later. The Committee for Camp #59 are Commander W. H. Moulton, Chaplain A. A. Morse (President of the Baseball League), and Asst. Dept. Organizer E. M. Hosmer.

Albert J. Brown, Commander of Gen. J.G. Foster Post 163, G.A.R., spent the summer at Nantasket.

Bro. Albion A. Morse returned home after a two weeks stay at Medfield.

The members of Camp #59 would would like to see Camp #9 form an Indoor Baseball Team---so we could have them on our schedule for the winter. Seven members constitute a team --- and we will have some sport.

When Brother Edward M. Hosmer was at the National Encampment at Pittsburgh, he met an old friend of his -- Brother Walter R. Turner of Vintia, Oklahoma. Bro. Turner is Asst. Dept. Organizer of the Dept. of Kansas. He has organized two new camps this year and has also formed a Company of the S.U.V. Reserve at Vintia, Okla.

Bro. Arther A. Pratt spent the week and with friends at Southboro

Bro. Charles Moulton and wife spent a few days at Plattsburgh, N. Y. and Ausable Chasm, N. Y.

Bro. Charles E. Moore has been on the sick list for quite a time although somewhat improved at present.

Bro. VanDenburgh enjoyed a few days on the Cape recently.

Senior Vice Commander Charles F. Moulton and Past President Mrs. Bertha L. Moulton of Gen. J. G. Foster Camp and Auxiliary 59, S.U.V.C.W., spent a week end at Long Island, N. Y., and visited the World's Fair, returning home Sunday, Sept. 8th.

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G.A.R. MONUMENT

the living Veterans and gave tributes to the Veterans in whose memory this monument was erected: Past National President Belle W. Bliss representing National President Rhoda Denny Moss of the Woman's Corps, Frances M. Kuhn, National President of the National Federated Patriotic Societies and representing National President Edwina P. Twigg of the Ladies of the G. A. R. and Sarah J. Ehrman, Past National President of the Ladies of the G.A.R. Each placed sprays or wreaths of Florida blossoms in sacred memory.

Porter V. Skinner, sculptor, was introduced as the artist whose skill had wrought this monument of stone and modeled the figure for which Capt. Rose posed. Sculptor Skinner seemed almost to have breathed a soul, into the stone, of life-like resemblance. As he took the bow he was loudly cheered by the appreciative crowd.

This is the southernmost G.A.R. Monument in the United States, and

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"THE CHALLENGE OF THE FLAG"

By Frank C. Huston
Past Commander-in-Chief
Sons Union Veterans of Civil War

"Old Glory", when we look on you,
as you are hanging there,
We wonder, could there ever be a
banner still more fair?
No other such arrangement of your
stripes and stars that gleam,
Could ever be so beautiful, nor
holy, it would seem,
As if the God above us all, 'tis
looking down could see
Just what our nation needed most,
and what its flag should be,
And guided those who made it so,
in ev'ry thought and way,
To make you, Glorious Banner, just
what you are, today.

But, far beyond the beauty rare
God only could create,
We recognize in symbol that which
makes our nation great;
No god of gold; no favored class;
not selfishness, nor greed;
But, "Righteousness and Brotherhood", This is our nation's creed.

Within that flag, we see, today,
embodiment of Grace;
The better things of all mankind
for all the human race.
The Red, there, tells how blood was
shed that freemen still be free --
How heroes died to usher in these
better things to be.
The White, there, tells that for
this land no hero dies in vain,-
That those who live will ever keep
that flag without a stain.
The field of Blue, bedecked with
stars,--a bit of heaven's dome,
Reflects the glory of our God, who
gives us such a home.

Could any banner ever float o'er
nation half so blest?
The friend of all the needy world,
the hungry and oppressed.
She brooks no fears; desires no
foes; but, advocates the plan
That those who live beneath her
folds, should be AMERICAN.

No hyphenated loyalty can give her
honors due,--
Allegiance, undivided, THAT makes
a man true blue;
"No man can serve two masters";
why should one care to try,
While living 'neath the grandest
flag that ever graced the sky?

"Old Glory", when we see you there,
what challenges you bring
To us who know you as you ARE, and
now your praises sing!
You challenge us to lives that
tell in high and holy deeds,--
To lives of noble thoughts and
acts,--not merely mouthing creeds.

And, so, we pledge you here, today,
the best that in us lies,
That you may wave, forevermore, the
fairest flag that flies,
We love you, dear old Banner bright
God help us each to see
That YOU are but the symbol of
what WE, ALL, ought to be.

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(In the words of Bro. Huston, the purpose of this poem is to challenge every American citizen, young and old, every time he sees the Flag, to the very best possible type of citizenship of which he may be capable. If everyone learns to appreciate what our Flag really IS, there will be very little soil in any normal heart, where any of these alien "isms" can flourish. "The Challenge of The Flag" has been used in the winning of silver

gold and diamond medals in oratorical contests. ——The Editor)

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G.A.R. MONUMENT

is unique because a living Veteran posed for the statue. Is there another Veteran who has seen his own statue unveiled? This great accomplishment was made possible by contributions from Henry Clay Roome Post No. 42 and Veteran members; National, Department, and Henry Clay Roome Women's Relief Corps and individual members; National, Department and Cornelia Boyd Turney Tent of the Daughters of Union Veterans and individual members; National Ladies of the G. A. R. and the many Miami friends of the Veterans. The monument is sextagon with the following tablets on each side: G.A.R. Roster of 93 names; G.A.R. Badge; D.U.V. Badge; Sons of Union Veterans badge and the John A. Logan tablet presented by the National Woman's Relief Corps in 1927. The other 5 tablets were furnished at cost by Mrs. Ann Elizabeth Meyers, member of the H. C. Roome Corps, a dealer in monumental supplies, in loving memory of her Veteran father, David Greer Watson, Co. A, 8th Ohio Vol. Inf.

Henrietta Lynott and Lois Houlette Hayes lead in singing of "America" and the services closed with "Taps" by United Spanish War Veterans Bugler Clark D. Spicer & Capt. Rose pronounced the Memorial benediction.

"Taps are sounded
Lights are out
The Soldier rests."

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CONSTITUTION

under the United States shall be a member of either House during his continuance in office.

Section 7—(House to originate all revenue bills. Veto. Bill may be passed by 2/3 of each House, notwithstanding, etc. Bill not returned in ten days, to become law. Provisions as to orders, concurrent resolutions etc.).

1.—all bills for raising revenue shall originate in the House of Representatives, but the Senate may propose or concur with amendments, as on other bills.

2.—Every bill which shall have passed the House of Representative and Senate, shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the President of the United States; if he approve, he shall sign it, but if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to that House in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large on their journal, and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, 2/3 of that House shall agree to pass the bill it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other House by which it shall likewise be reconsidered; and if approved by 2/3 of that House it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both Houses shall be determined by yeas and nays and the names of the persons voting for and against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each House respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the President within 10 days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law in like manner as if he had signed it, unless the Congress by their adjournment prevent its return in which case it shall not be a law.

3.—Every order, resolution, or vote to which the concurrence of the Senate and House of Representatives may be necessary (except on a question of adjournment) shall be presented to the President of the United States: and before the same shall take effect shall be approved by him, or being disapproved by him, shall be repassed by 2/3 of the Senate and the House of Representatives, according to the rules and limitations prescribed in the case of a bill.

Section 8—(Powers of Congress)

1.—The Congress shall have the power:

To lay and collect taxes, du—

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CHARLES R. LOWELL AUXILIARY 78 S.U.V.C.W. NEWS

By Minnie Scott Pike
Press Correspondent

And now comes the new season, forerunner of the long year of work ahead of all of us. Vacations over, rest periods will be scarce for quite awhile —— if we do our level best to improve ourselves and our Orders. Of course we must improve, for we can't stand still to progress. We must ever forge ahead with vigor, to attain even more success than we have reached. Above all, we must not become satisfied with ourselves; that would be fatal to progress. It would mean retrogression and consequent stagnation —— which would spell "failure" with large letters.

With this new season, comes the selection of new Officers to serve us, and our Orders. With the best interests of our Organization in mind, let us select only those who have gained an insight in our work —— enough to know what it is all about. Not every one who is an Office-seeker is in all ways fitted to fill the Chair to which they aspire. A knowledge of the Order, what has been done before, and what has to be done in the future, is necessary to be rightly qualified to suceed. There are necessarily some financial obligations that go with any Office, and that point should be taken into consideration —— as well as just holding down a Chair and learning a Ritual. You know that you can teach a poll-parrot to say a lot of words (also a baby, who can talk)—so the Ritualistic work is the smallest thing to consider, when looking for "fitness" in a candidate for any of our Offices.

This next year, when we expect to entertain one of the largest, if not the largest, Military Orders in the Country, it would be to our advantage to try, if we can, and gather some members from the ranks of those Veterans —— and in that way get ourselves in the limelight as a ranking patriotic Order. There are a large percentage of Sons of Union Veterans in the World War, and there are a large number of those Veterans eligible to join. As an Auxiliary to the Sons of Union Veterans, we could look up eligibles for the Sons in the ranks of those Veterans. By so doing, we could increase our own membership, as many of those men have wives—some of whom might be eligible in their own right. You see, Sisters, if we look far enough ahead, we can see the real advantages in store for us—and act accordingly. We have a big year just ahead of us and we should keep the Order in mind in selecting our new Officers. What do you say, girls, shall we all work to catch some new members through this anticipated Convention next year? We may get the Membership Banner at Department Convention. It is worth going for, isn't it? Of course it is, I hear you all say. You have always been right out in front for the good of Auxiliary #78 and I am sure we are not going to fall down now when there are such good prospects ahead —— never better.

Come on, Sister! Let's go! we're sure to win!

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MUSINGS AND JOTTINGS OF YOUR REPORTER

Didn't we have a perfectly grand time with All of the Department Officers present at our second September meeting! They sure did turn out and they did a good job on the Ritualistic work. Nice for our Officers to see AND emulate for our coming Inspection. Our Department President was pleased at the turn-out--and we are glad. It was also nice that our two National Officers from the Home State were on hand; National Secretary Maude R. Warren (little but Oh My) and our National Chief of Staff, Past Dept. Pres. Rita E. Angier, who sure has a lot of work ahead of her. We want to show that we are proud to have a Massachusetts Sister selected for that position, even if it does mean a heap of work to make good. We will stand behind our Sister--Auxiliary #78--won't we? She served us finely, as sitting Past Presedent at Exemplification.

Well, Jessie and Ernest, when is it going to be? You must not do any sudden "Springing" on us, you know. We are all SLIGHTLY interested, so bear that in mind.

This seems to be quite a season for "annexations"---shall we call them? Wonder how many more there will be, does anybody know? Go easy for a little while, until we catch up in the financial section of our anatomy.

Your Reporter did a little job of "Inspecting" in Roslindale and is to "inspect" Quincy this week--with Arlington, Chelsea, Cambridge, and Hyde Park to come later. Some busy, but the work is pleasant and gives an excuse to visit around. If anyone wants to go with her to some of these times, just get in touch and that will be all that is necessary The dates are far enough ahead.

Wasn't it nice to see "Mr. and Mrs." representing our two Orders at the Exemplification! Nice for Lelia, as she could keep "Red" in line for a change. Yes? No? How about it, Red? How did it feel to sit beside "wifey" and be "nice"? Have you recovered?

It sure was nice for "our" Mary to show the DEpartment Officers that we have some "super" talent in Auxiliary 78. It has been spoken of at Department Headquarters, so it must have pleased them.

By the way, Sisters and "folks", save Hallowe'en date, Oct. 31, for a real party at the Colonial Club on Boylston St. The Dept. Ways & Means are to have a Halloween supper. There will be a party afterwards, ducking for apples, "catching" doughnuts, and various other Hallowe'en stunts -- besides some entertaining, all for the modest sum of 40¢. Not bad, eh? Supper at 6 P. M. and all the rest afterwards. The number of tickets is limited, so let your Ways and Means Committee member ("Big Minnie") know and she will reserve your seats for you. It is going to be fun, so act accordingly.

Beulah has been going to the Hospital daily to see P.C. Walter, who is none too good -- though the outlook has promise, according to the Doctor. Good luck, Brother! May you soon be among us again and greatly improved in health.

Quite a few of the Auxiliary and Camp attended the World's Fair. It seems that we just cant be stopped when there is anything good to be seen. Am I right, or am I right?

Bye now, see you soon again.

Musingly and Jottingly yours,

Minnie Scott Pike,
Department Press Correspondent

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ENSIGN WORTH BAGLEY CAMP #6
UNITED SPANISH WAR VETERANS
G. A. R. Hall, 14 Green St.
Charlestown, Massachusetts

Everad L. Cheney, Commander

We join our Sister Auxiliary in the columns of this publication, which is "devoted to all patriotic American activities". It is our firm conviction that in this time of "brother against brother", the COOPERATION inherent in our national ideology is becoming more and more necessary between all patriotic and veteran bodies. "United we stand, divided we fall".

On Thursday evening, October 5, the following Officers were regularly Installed by Past Commander Edward Fowler:

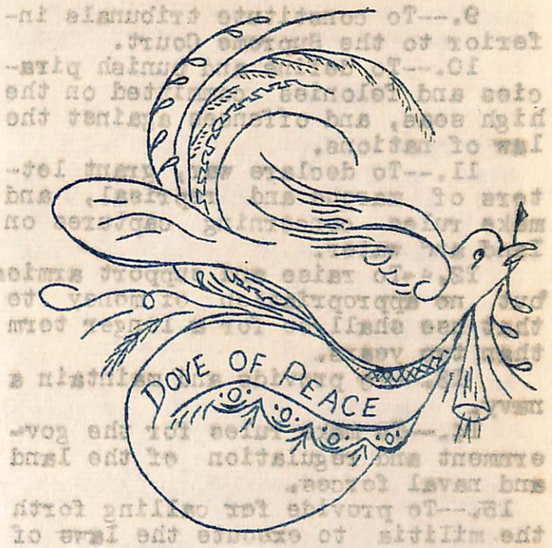
Everad L. Cheney.....Commander
James Brown, P.C.....Sr. Vice Comm.
Frank C. Day.....Jr. Vice Comm.
Geo. Warren, P.C.....Officer of Day
Charles Sprague.....Chaplain
James Osburn, P.C.....Guard
Fred Curtis.....Adjutant
Thadius P. Shaw.....Quartermaster
John Sodergran....Sr. Color Bearer
Edward Barnes.....Jr. Color Bearer
Edward Fowler, P.C..Trustee--3 yrs.

Comrade Fowler has served this Camp very efficiently for the past four consecutive years. He won high honors in the Spanish-American War and was also a Captain in the World War.

Our Quartermaster is not new by any means, having served this Camp for sixteen years in a stretch, and Chaplain Sprague is rated as the finest in the Department.

Camp #6 meets once a month, on the first Thursday, and we have a very good percentage of our member ship in attendance.

Commander Cheney is quite busy these days building a four room bungalow at Lake Winnecunnet, Norton, Mass. He expects to have it completed by the middle of November.



Example of Spencerian Penmanship
By Commander Everad L. Cheney

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CONSTITUTION

ties, imposts, and excises, to pay the debts and provide for the common defense and general welfare of the United States; but all duties, imposts, and excises shall be uniform throughout the United States.

2.--To borrow money on the credit of the United States.

3.--To regulate commerce with foreign nations, and among the several States, and with the Indian tribes.

4.--To establish an uniform rule of naturalization and uniform laws on the subjects of bankruptcies throughout the United States.

5.--To coin money, regulate the value thereof, and of foreign coin, and fix the standard of weights & measures.

6.--To provide for the punishment of counterfeiting the securities and current coin of the United States.

7.--To establish post-offices and post-roads.

8.--To promote the progress of science and useful arts by securing for limited times to authors & inventors the exclusive rights to their respective writings and discoveries.

9.--To constitute tribunals inferior to the Supreme Court.

10.--To define and punish piracies and felonies committed on the high seas, and offenses against the law of nations.

11.--To declare war, grant letters of marque and reprisal, and make rules concerning captures on land and water.

12.--To raise and support armies but no appropriation of money to that use shall be for a longer term than two years.

13.--To provide and maintain a navy.

14.--To make rules for the government and regulation of the land and naval forces.

15.--To provide for calling forth the militia to execute the laws of the Union, suppress insurrections, and repel invasions.

16.--To provide for organizing, arming, and disciplining the militia and for governing such part of them as may be employed in the service of the United States, reserving to the States respectively the appointment of the officers, and the authority of training the militia according to the discipline prescribed by Congress.

17.--To exercise exclusive legislation in all cases whatsoever over such district (not exceeding ten miles square) as may, by cession of particular States and the acceptance of Congress, become the seal of Government of the United States, and to exercise like authority over all places purchased by the consent of the Legislature of the State in which the same shall be, for the erection of forts, magazines, arsenals, drydocks and other needful buildings.

18.--To make all laws which shall be necessary and proper for carrying into execution the foregoing powers and all other powers vested by this Constitution in the Government of the United States, or in any department or officer thereof.

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"O U R F L A G"

By
George William Kimball, Camp #81,
Sons of Union Veterans of the C.W.

What of this Flag we see so high,
As it flutters in the air,
The Flag that's known to every child,
Here, there and everywhere!

The Colors, Red and White and Blue
Is the Emblem of the Free;
It's Eagle keeps a watchful eye
For millions on land and sea.

Our Flag has gone through many climes,
A Protector for you and me;
Some countries show a hatred
For our stand on "Liberty".

But, through the wars of ages,
Old Glory has stood the test;
Why wouldn't our millions be happy
When they know our Flag is just

In flood, famine or earthquake,
It helps a foreign land;
Its the most gentle of all nations
When they need a helping hand.

The foreign-born or native-born,
Are equal over here;
For the Stars and Stripes are ever kind,
Under its folds we need not fear.

Our schools are here to teach them
Our Leaders of today
Are the ones who left their home-lands,
Thousands of miles away.

UNITED may we ever stand,
And our LOYALTY be ever true,
To GOD we love in Heaven above
And our Colors, Red, White and Blue.

Old Uncle Sam, he guards us;
He's as true as true can be.
Our support he will always welcome
Until "ETERNITY".

Betsy Ross, the maker of our Flag,
Her name will never die,
As long as this old earth endures,
Her Flag will float on high.

N O T E S F R O M

GEN. J. G. FOSTER AUXILIARY #59 S. U. V. C. W.

by
Arleen Trask, Press Correspondent
82 Hartford St., Framingham, Mass.

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Our first meeting of the new season opened on September 18th, with our President Nettie Gregory presiding.

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Because of illness, we were very much afraid that our President would not be with us on our second meeting, Sept. 26th--but there she was---and were we happy!

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At the above second meeting, we held a Rehearsal for our Annual Inspection, which event is to be held on October 24th.

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Mrs. Alice Young, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, ran a Blanket Club---which was a great success.

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We are sorry to hear that one of our members, whom we all call "Aunt Clara", is in the hospital. Sisters of the other Auxiliaries know her as Mrs. Clara Cox.

Hurry and get better---we need you, "Aunt Clara"!

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Auxiliary #59 is still hoping that Camp #59 will soon find a room in the Civic League (where we are holding our meetings), so we can all be together again.

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F L A S H E S F R O M THEODORE WINTHROP CAMP #81, CHELSEA SONS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE C.W.

by
George Wm. Kimball

With regret we notice that all the Shell Gasolene Stations have substituted the Shell flag for Old Glory....Plenty of work to be done by Sons of Union Veterans along patriotic lines.

P. C. Edwin S. Fairbanks, who is Chairman of Grave Comm., has returned home from the U.S.Marine Hospital, where he has been confined for nearly three months.

Brother George W. Kimball got quite a kick, after returning from his Maine vacation, to read a letter of sympathy sent to Mrs. Kimball on his death. It is quite rare in this 20th century to be able to read your own obituary. It seems that during his absence, a citizen died having the same name and leaving a wife with the same name. George has acknowledged his letter of condolence and is still ready to carry on.

S.V.C. Raymond L. Kimball has successfully passed a voice audition prepared by John J. Shaughnessey, the well-known singer and teacher. It is most gratifying to Ray's many friends.

It is pleasing to announce that Enos F. Varno, well-known member of Post 1538, V.F.W., and Camp 81, S.U.V., has fully recovered from a serious illness, being confined at the Chelsea Soldiers' Home.

Bro. Leo P. Casey, Supt. of the Chelsea Public Schools, is doing a fine piece of work and is receiving favorable comment in his new position. KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK, LEO.

J.V.C. Leroy S. Barker, well-known Revere Insurance Broker, is a direct descendant of the Indians. His work takes him into many homes and he plans for the in-

gram.) TO OUR WORLD WAR MOTHERS we

itiations of many new members.

If members of our Order desire to get the news, consult Bro. Ernest E. Huntoon, the well-known newspaper distributor. ERNIE is also a Beano shark.

Our charter members are always JOHNNIE ON THE SPOT, when we need their services. With pleasure we present their names: Charles O. Currier, Edgar T. White, Oscar T. Prescott, Edwin E. Fish, and Wm. B Marsh.

One of the most active members of the camp, who is much in demand for public speaking, is P.C. George F. Brady of the State Republican Committee. As a patriotic orator, he is in a class by himself. May he continue to go places.

P. C. Arthur W. Simington has been judged one of the neatest members of our order. His uniform and regalia is always kept in first class shape and his devotion to the S.U.V. cause is most inspiring.

P.C. Willis L. DeLano, the well-known magician, is busy these days. His trade takes him to various parts of the country and he is making a name for himself where ever he performs. He carries a magic equipment second to none.

The two Dunbrack brothers are real assets to Camp 81. Melvin is a radio expert, while George is in the employ of the government. May our roster be filled with men of this character.

P.C. Joseph A. Finn, chairman of the camp council, is considered to be quiet, but just ask any W. P. A. worker under his jurisdiction and you get a different slant on JOE. On a motor trip he is the "LIFE" of the party. Ask ADDIE Quinn about JOE'S trip to Portland.

Dr. Francis H. Tapley is so busy these days in his line of work that we do not have his individual support, but we know we have his backing at all times when it is necessary to boost Camp 81.

Congratulations to Bro. Joseph E. Henry, master of the Shurtleff School of Chelsea, upon his election as president of the Chelsea Y.M.C.A. We know Joe will bring added honors to this well-known association.

P.C. James W. Davis has fully recovered from his serious illness and has become associated with the Johnson Baking Co., makers of those fine doughnuts. If Brothers want doughnuts with a "CRAMP", he can furnish crullers.

We are pleased to report that Grenville N. Lincoln, patriotic instructor, who was stricken very ill in July, is making rapid strides to recovery.

We publicly thank Wm. B. Marsh for his loyal devotion to Camp 81 in painting of the cannon, urns, etc., on the Soldiers' lots at Garden Cemetery and Woodlawn Cemetery ---also regilding the G.A.R. markers as soon as they become dingy. Work like this means much to our honored order.

P.C. Wm. S. Henry is here, there and everywhere, for "Bill" is active in many fraternal and patriotic organizations. He spends his winters in Florida and his summers in Sheepscot, Maine. He has been a member of the camp for nearly 50 years and is still going strong.

We don't see much of Bro. Arthur P. Rice, Sr. Civil Engineer for the Mass. Highway Dept., but we see the results of his labor while motoring. Bro. Rice has been a loyal member of Camp 81 for many years.

If you ever want to start a bowling team, consult P.C. John J. Mitchesson, one of the best bowlers in Greater Boston. "JOHNNIE" is also a great actor, having appeared in many musical attractions. His voice will soon be heard over the National Broadcasting System.

Bro. Geo. W. Kimball of Lair #3.

Military Order of the Serpent, Chelsea, will initiate a large class As head of the degree team, he has done much to make this outfit one of the leading lairs in the Province of Mass. Over 40 Spanish War Veterans were initiated in three meetings.

P.D.C. Addison A. Quinn, president of the North Metropolitan District Asso., will soon call a meeting of this fast growing patriotic organization; and he has many plans to make the coming year a memorable one. Every Son knows what our beloved "ADDIE" can do in making any affair a success.

Comm. Edgar W. Harding, head of the Harding Typewriter Co., has made many plans for the fall opening --- and, with the list of new candidates he has, it looks as tho old Camp 81 will again climb to the 100 mark. Comm. Harding has done much to give the camp plenty of favorable publicity, which in turn has swelled the roster of this camp -- which has started on its 53rd year of real patriotic service in the city.

S.U.V. Auxiliary 38, under the leadership of Mrs. Mary W.L.Lynch, is making a name throughout the state. This natty uniformed unit is showing what patriotic service is. Aux. 38 opened their fall meetings September 5th.

For the want of more space,
Many names are not here;
But give us a break,
Editor Wells is sincere.

SPANISH WAR AUXILIARY COLUMN

ADELAIDE WORTH BAGLEY AUX. #16,
N. A. U. S. W. V.
by
Katherine A. Collett, Reporter

A card party, followed by a tea, was held on the afternoon of October fourth, in the interest of the treasury of Adelaide Worth Bagley Auxiliary. The hostess reports a gratifying sum for the continuance of our work---and a social success of the first order.

At the regular meeting of the Auxiliary on October 13th, President Mary Henning named as Chairman of the monthly penny sale, Sister Jessie Brigandi. The party will be held on October 27th, at Memorial Hall, Green Street, Charlestown.

Auxiliary officers of 1939 are to be congratulated on the splendid work they are doing. They are: Mary Henning, President; Rose Kendall, Senior Vice President; Mary Cheney, Junior Vice President; Elizabeth Fray, Chaplain; Nora Brown, Conducter; Nora C. Brown, Assistant Conducter; Cathrine Quinlan, Historian; Jessie Brigandi, Guard; and Annie Kelly, Assistant Guard. Appointive officers are: Anna Orr, Treasurer; Harriet Sprague, Secretary; Lelia Turner, Color Bearer; and Katherine A. Collett, Reporter and Musician.

drinks!"

THE RULES OF PARLIAMENTARY LAW

PART FOUR

THE NECESSITY OF A CONSTITUTION

The basic law of a society is its constitution just as the Constitution of the United States is the basic law of our nation. Every organization needs a constitution; if it is incorporated it has a charter.

The rules governing a society may be grouped in four parts, i.e., the constitution, by-laws, rules of order, and standing rules By some they are put all together under one title and called constitution, by-laws, or standing rules. Rules of order provide for the orderly transaction of business and usually all that it consists of is the statement that "Blank's Rules of Parliamentary

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Law shall govern the Hailsboro Civic League in all cases where it does not conflict with its by-laws or constitution.

The constitution is the club's permanent law. There are always provisions in it for amendments, but there should be none which are changeable. In it there should be the name of the organization, its purpose, qualifications for membership, officers and means of election, standing committees, vital requirements of time and place of meetings, and the method of accepting and amending the constitution.

By-Laws are regulations that can not be changed without previous notification. Special rules of order may be a part of the by-laws. The particular rules of parliamentary law that is to be the authority for the society should be included in them. By-laws cannot be suspended, unless provision has been made for such suspension in them, except regarding by-laws about business procedure. In that case a 2/3 vote will be necessary to suspend.

A majority vote may adopt standing rules, even if advance notice hasn't been given. A majority vote may suspend them and they may be amended or rescinded by a 2/3 vote or by a majority vote if there has been previous notice.

In our next installment, we shall give the constitution and by laws of the hypothetical Hailsboro Civic League.

TO BE CONTINUED IN THE NEXT ISSUE

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this:

"this bravest battle that ever was fought;
Shall I tell you where and when?
On the maps of the world you'll find it not;
It was fought by the Mothers of men --"

Commander John Sheehan served on the Reunions Committee.

A feature event was the CHILDREN'S ENTERTAINMENT on Sept. 9th at Medford High School Municipal Field, during which there were many prizes and much enjoyment.

GEORGE WASHINGTON

General Washington's manners were rather reserved than free; though on all proper occasions he could relax sufficiently to show how highly he was gratified by the charms of conversation and the pleasure of society. His person & whole deportment exhibited an unaffected and indescribable dignity unmingled with haughtiness, of which all who approached him were sensible; and the attachment of those who possessed his friendship and enjoyed his intimacy, though ardent, was always respectful. --- From Marshall's "Life of Washington."

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The INQUIRING REPORTER

OF CAMP 49, BOSTON

We pledge our support to our new Commander-in-Chief, Dr. Ralph R. Barrett of California, and wish for him and his staff a most successful year.

From the Report of our National Americanization Committee, we quote the following commendation to:

"Camp 9, of Boston, for activity in recruiting: two members being recognized by the Commander-in-Chief for adding five or more members to the Camp, also for editing and publishing a Patriotic Register."

In addition, we are delighted to be able to report that Bro. Wm. L. Anderson, Sr., made his first official appearance as a Past Commander-in-Chief at our first Fall meeting in Sept., to make to us the first presentation of a Camp Certificate of Award for meritorious patriotic service.

We wish to rectify a seeming oversight in the Oct. issue of "The Banner". The Sept. Exemplification of the Ritual by our Auxiliary Dept. Officers took place at the hall of Charles Russell Lowell Auxiliary #78 in Boston.

Your Dept. Organizing Staff has grateful memories of the help being given it by L.L. Murrich Woman's Relief Corps of Palmer.

Bro. Arther A. Pratt, Forest Balcom, Albion A. Morse and Asst. Dept. Organizer Edw. M. Hosmer, all of Framingham Camp 59, attended the Exemplification held by the Mass. Dept. S.U.V. Aux. for Auxiliary 78 After entertainment and refreshments, those present had the pleasure of meeting Commander Green of G. A. R. Post 200, Charlestown.

Certain functions of the Department, including the celebration next April of the 75th anniversary of Appomattox, will be much enhanced if we can have a well-trained Chorus participate. Our

Auxiliary has agreed to furnish the women's voices, and it is up to us to obtain from our own members the tenors and basses.

We do not expect grand opera artists. Any one who can read music and carry his part in an ordinary song or hymn has sufficient musical ability to sing in such a group. Every Camp in our Department must have one, two or more such singers. Will you please contact at once in person or by telephone those of your own Camp who can qualify as above and who may be interested in joining such a group, and send me at headquarters at once their names with the part they sing?

It is planned to make the meetings of this Chorus a pleasure and not a burden to anyone. After two or three rehearsals to get "whipped into shape", the Chorus will not meet oftener than twice a month, on nights which suit the convenience of the majority. Past Dept. Commander Addison A. Quinn will be in charge. Such a Chorus can do much to build up our Order. not only by appearing on public occasions but by taking part in an occasional class initiation, and those who join it can feel that they are doing something well worth while to help preserve in a worthy manner the memory of their soldier sires.

We do not want anyone who is not seriously interested, and who will not agree to attend faithfully during the coming winter. Conditions necessarily change with the course of time, and we do not expect any one to pledge himself beyond next Spring, although it is hoped to make the Chorus a permanent institution.

-- Frederic Gilbert Bauer,
Department Commander

Funds are necessary for Camp 9's Fife and Drum Corps. It is suggested that we take some action on the matter. All Brothers interested get in touch with Past S.V.C. Harry Grant.

There is a rising wave of agitation for a "Sons" Reserve in Mass. Dept. Comm. Bauer is working on the splendid idea of a Cavalry unit. Bro. Bill Packard is Camp 9's leading spirit in the movement.

One of the nicest things that has happened to us in quite a while, was the visit baby Virginia Prew paid us at the Camp.

A five years subscription to "The Patriotic Register" will be awarded to the one sending in the best original cover illustration. All contributions will be considered the property of the magazine and the Editor is the one who will decide the winning entry. All entries must be in the mail not later than Dec. 31, 1939.

Two of our "brothers" (Cecil L. Cheney and James K. Cheney) took prominent parts in the play based on the Gettysburg Address and put on by the Dept. at that delightful occasion on Mary Bowditch Forbes estate, Sept. 23rd.

The following appointments to the Dept. Staff were recently announced:

Dept. Sec'y....Leon H. Palmer (79)
Dept. Treas....George E. Hunt (67)
Pat. Instr.....Guy Richardson (46)
Chaplain.....George H. Driver (74)
Counsellor.....
Brig. Gen. E. Leroy Sweetser (62)
Organizer.....Cecil L. Cheney (9)
Inspector...Lawrence D. Riley (46)
Pub. Sec'y....Wilfred Libbey (127)
Asst. Organizers.....
.....Ernest G. Wells (9)
.....Edward M. Hosmer (59)
.....James E. Rogers (95)
.....George E. Greenwood (9)
Liaison Officer with U.S.W.V.....
John H.Miller (54), P.D.C., U.S.W.V.
Liaison Officer with V.F.W.....
.....Capt. Wm. S. George (61), Com. Post 675, V.F.W.
Liaison Officer with American Legion.....Lawrence D. Riley (46)
Past Com., Post 350, Am. Legion

As a result of their annual election, Charles Russell Lowell Camp No. 9, Sons of Union Veterans of the Civil War, Boston, have the following officers for the ensuing

year.

Commander Ernest Gay Wells, Senior Vice Commander George Greenwood; Junior Vice Commander Thomas Hart; Councillors James K. Cheney; George Greenwood, and William Hinchey; Secretary Cecil L. Cheney; and Treasurer Everad L. Cheney.

Our Bro. Peter Leahy (9) has been of great help, in a financial sense, to the "Register". We take this means of informing everyone of our gratitude to him.

The Massachusetts National Guard seems to have taken two excellent Brothers from us -- once Past Commander Charlie Warren and once Junior Vice Commander Harry Grant, Jr.

There are certain members of our "family" missing from this round-table of discussion called "The Patriotic Register". We refer to: Charles Russell Lowell Woman's Relief Corps No. 28; Frederick Hecker Woman's Relief Corps No. 88; Lizbeth Turner Tent No. 56, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War; and John A. Andrew Circle No. 23, Ladies of the Grand Army of the Republic. . . You know, Sisters, we cannot consider our columns adequately representative until you are with us.

We are delighted to welcome two new organizations into these fraternal pages of patriotism: Ensign Worth Bagley Camp No. 6, United Spanish War Veterans, and the 9th Regiment Veterans Association, stationed at 1151 Washington St., Boston. We have grown, in four issues, from 10 pages to 24, and from two organizations to eight. Remember two things, Brother and Sister Americans! First: Publicity is our "crying need" at present, to offset alien propaganda and to build up our respective organizations. Second: There is no goal, to which we may set ourselves, that cannot better be realized by cooperative effort. "IN UNION THERE IS STRENGTH".

We, in Camp 9, feel it to be the

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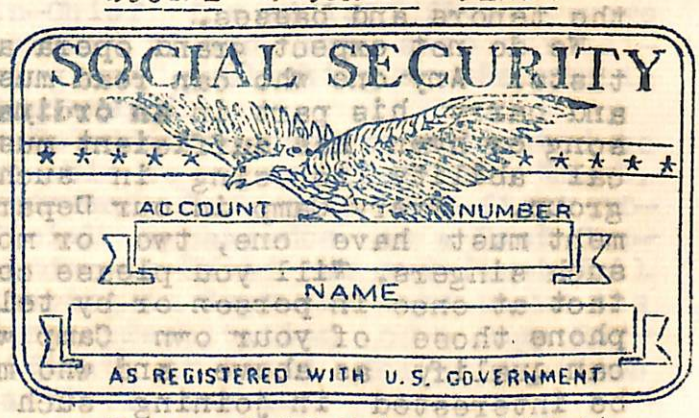

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duty of all Americans, at all times to constantly and continually strive to further and to perpetuate those principles and ideals that are peculiarly American. "The price of Liberty is Eternal Vigilance".

Indeed, we believe no means too trivial, no cost too great, and no field of our operations too removed, by which we may laud the glories of the United States of America and prove the righteousness of our democratic procedure.

With the greatest anxiety, we are awaiting word that the best of Brothers, Past Commander Walter B. Scott, is out of danger. He is seriously ill at the Boston City Hospital (Medical 5) and we are informed by our Visiting Committee Chairman Leon Searles that he has been under the "oxygen tent".